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Council of the District of Columbia Committee on Human Services

Notice of Public Oversight Roundtable

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

COUNCILMEMBER ADRIAN FENTY, CHAIRPERSON COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC OVERSIGHT ROUNDTABLE ON

SHELTER AND SERVICES FOR HOMELESS FAMILIES

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 2005 10:00 A.M.

D.C. Village Auditorium 2-A Village Lane, S.W. Washington, DC 20032

On December 22, 2005, Councilmember Adrian Fenty, Chairperson of the Committee on Human Services, will convene a public oversight roundtable on emergency shelter for homeless families. The purpose of the roundtable is to follow up on the Committee's October 19 hearing at DC Village, at which the Committee heard testimony on the conditions for families in congregate shelter, and the availability of services such as case management, childcare, mental health services, substance abuse treatment, and job training.

The hearing will be held in the Auditorium of the D.C. Village homeless shelter, and will begin at 10:00 a.m. The Committee invites the public to testify in person or in writing. Anyone wishing to testify at the hearing should contact Glenis Gillis at 727-8204 or via email at ggillis@dccouncil.us no later than December 20, 2005 at 5pm. Witnesses will be permitted three minutes for oral presentation and are asked to bring 15 copies of their written statements. Persons unable to testify at the hearing are encouraged to submit written testimony for inclusion in the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to the Committee on Human Services or to Ira Stohlman, Acting Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close on January 6, 2006.

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COUNCILMEMBER JIM GRAHAM, CHAIRPERSON COMMITTEE ON CONSUMER & REGULATORY AFFAIRS

ANNOUNCES

A CONTINUED PUBLIC OVERSIGHT ROUNDTABLE ON

"VACATING BUILDINGS FOR REHABILITATION, TENANT OPPORTUNITY TO PURCHASE AND OTHER ISSUES AT SPECIFIC RENTAL PROPERTIES"

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. Room 412, John A. Wilson Building 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20004

Councilmember Jim Graham, Chairperson of the Committee on Consumer and Regulatory Affairs, will reconvene a recessed public oversight roundtable on "Vacating Buildings for Rehabilitation, Tenant Opportunity to Purchase and Other Issues at Specific Rental Properties," originally held November 10 and 21, 2005. The properties are:

- 1840/1846 Vernon Street, NW
- 1433 T Street, NW
- 201-213 16th Street, NE

The Committee is holding this roundtable due to concerns on whether there has been compliance with D.C. law on the proposed relocation of tenants from these buildings, and, further, whether there has been compliance with tenant rights under the Tenant Opportunity to Purchase Act.

Individuals representing the owners of these building were invited to testify at the November 10 and 21, 2005 public oversight roundtables, however they refused to appear. Their presence will be required at this public oversight roundtable under subpoena. Additionally, the Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Those who wish to testify should contact John Adams at (202) 724-8198 before 5 p.m. Friday, December 16. Witnesses should bring 16 copies of their testimony to the public oversight hearing. Individuals will be permitted 3 minutes for oral presentation.

If you are unable to testify at the roundtable, written statements are encouraged and will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to the Committee on Consumer and Regulatory Affairs, Room 112, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC, 20004, by close of business Friday, December 23, 2005.

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JOINT PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE COUNCILMEMBER PHIL MENDELSON, CHAIRPERSON COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY and

COUNCILMEMBER DAVID CATANIA, CHAIRPERSON COMMITTEE ON HEALTH

on

THE HEALTH CARE OF PRISONERS IN LIGHT OF THE JONATHAN MAGBIE INVESTIGATION

on

Monday, December 19, 2005 – 11:00 a.m. Room 412, John A. Wilson Building 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

Councilmember Phil Mendelson, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary and Councilmember David Catania, Chairman of the Committee on Health, announce a public roundtable on the quality of health care related to the custody of Jonathan Magbie. The public roundtable will be held at 11:00 a.m. on December 19, 2005 in Room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building.

On October 2005, the Office of the Inspector General issued a report of its investigation into the death of Jonathan Magbie. On September 20, 2004, Mr. Jonathan Magbie, a quadriplegic inmate with special care needs was sentenced to 10 days in jail. By the evening of September 24, 2004, Mr. Magbie was pronounced dead at Greater Southeast Community Hospital. The Inspector General's report cites multiple failures by involved government and judicial bodies. The report makes numerous recommendations for both the Department of Corrections and the Department of Health.

Those who wish to testify should contact Ms. Heidi Tseu, Legislative Analyst, at (202) 724-7808, by fax at (202) 724-6664, or via e-mail at htseu@dccouncil.us, and provide their name, address, telephone number, organizational affiliation and title (if any) by close of business December 15, 2005. Persons wishing to testify are encouraged, but not required, to submit 15 copies of written testimony. If submitted by the close of business on December 15, 2005, the testimony will be distributed to Councilmembers before the hearing. Testimony will be heard first from Government witnesses. All other witnesses should expect to limit their testimony to five minutes.

If you are unable to testify at the hearing, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted either to Ms. Tseu, or to Mr. Ira Stohlman, Secretary to the Council, Room 5 of the Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004. The record will close at 5:00p.m. on January 2, 2005.